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Agenda item 1
Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters

Requests from non-governmental organizations for hearings

Report of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

1. The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, acting in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31, had before it at its 676th meeting on 26 June 1998, requests from non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Council for hearings by the Council in connection with items in the Council's agenda for its substantive session of 1998.

2. The Committee decided to recommend that the organizations listed below be heard under the agenda items indicated:

International Federation of Settlements and Neighbourhood Centres

Item 6. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to major United Nations conferences and summits.

Item 12. Non-governmental organizations.

Item 13. Economic and environmental questions:

(a) Sustainable development.

Item 14. Social and human rights questions:

(b) Social development.

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International Movement ATD Fourth World

Item 4. Coordination of the policies and activities of the specialized agencies and other bodies of the United Nations system related to the following theme: Coordinated follow-up to and implementation of the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action.

Item 14. Social and human rights questions:

(b) Social development.

International Youth and Student Movement for the United Nations

Item 11. Economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the occupied Palestinian territory, including Jerusalem, and the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan.

Item 12. Non-governmental organizations.

Item 13. Economic and environmental questions:

(a) Sustainable development.

Item 14. Social and human rights questions:

(b) Social development;

(f) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Third Decade to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination;

(g) Human rights.

Inter-Parliamentary Union

Item 4. Coordination of the policies and activities of the specialized agencies and other bodies of the United Nations system related to the following theme: Coordinated follow-up to and implementation of the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action.

Item 14. Social and human rights questions:

(a) Advancement of women;

(g) Human rights.